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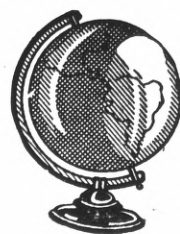


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## The Sphere of Service

"This is the year of the bombardier" and one of the newest of Uncle Sam's bombardiers to be graduated at the Midland, Texas, Bombardier School is Robert E. Flynn.

Second Lieutenant Flynn is a son of Mrs. William Pugh, of Georgetown, a graduate of El Dorado County High School and a former fire guard on Eldorado National Forest.

In what we are led to believe is the language of intra-plane communication: "Hometown friends to bombardier: Nice going, Bob."

Jack Butts was up for the weekend from Fort Ord. He was accompanied by an Army chum from the middle west who came along to see for himself whether El Dorado County is "God's country," and left with the admission that Butts had given him the right information.

Sam Neilsen, son of Mr. and Mrs. Nick Neilsen, has been promoted to be a corporal at Camp Hatheway, which is near Vancouver, Washington. Sam entered the Army about four months ago.

William M. Latimer, of Camino, was graduated in the Chemical Warfare Service Officer Candidate School at Edgewood Arsenal, Maryland, on January 9th and was commissioned a Second Lieutenant. Sir, congratulations.

Karl Schmershal, who is in the Navy Sea Bees, is getting his mail in care of the Fleet Postmaster, San Francisco and Lieutenant Latta G. Schmershal may be addressed at APO 887, in care of the postmaster, New York.

Cecil A. Nichols, one of the "old Company D" men, wears three stripes on his sleeve at Fort Lewis, Washington. And Clarence Nichols, who is also a charter member of old Company D, is at the same post and is a corporal.

Yes, sir, Private First Class Delmer Furrer did plan his furlough with something in view. It took place Jan. 7th, and Mrs. Furrer is the former Miss Marguerite Buys, of Diamond Springs. Private Furrer's station is in the Bay District.

Recent recruits to the Navy through the recruiting office at Sacramento include Coolidge Tuman Ahlstrom and Paul Albert Baer, the latter of Shingle Springs.

Vladimir Sabich, of the state Highway Patrol and formerly stationed in this county, becomes a second lieutenant in the Army Air Forces upon the completion of pilot training at La Junta, Colorado, on January 4. "Vlad" is also a papa. Mrs. Sabich (the former Frances Ravenscroft) and their month-old daughter, are living at Sacramento, it is reported.

A recent marriage in the sphere of service is that of Leo Barrett and Asunda Castle, which took place at Reno. Leo had a few days off from his duties in the Navy and the couple went to Reno.

Staff Sergeant Arthur Davey breezed in from Texas Saturday and surprised his mother. Art intended to surprise his sisters, too, but someone saw him getting a hair cut and spilled the beans. He'll be around about a week, if all goes well.

Al Liddicoat was another Mather Fielder home for the weekend.

Lieut. and Mrs. Paul Hayward, who have been on duty in Texas, are now stationed at Victorville and glad to be back in California.

And, by the way, we saw Vic Pierroz Monday morning and he reports that he hears from his son, Henry, right along and had one letter just this past week. Henry is in the Navy and likes the life fine.

Lieut. Silvio Ronzone is convalescing at the base hospital at Mitchell Field, Long Island, following a recent siege with pneumonia.

And Philip Ronzone is a second lieutenant following his recent (Continued on Page Two)

## PRICE CLINIC SCHEDULED

Plans For January 20th Meeting Will Be Set At Conference Tuesday Night

Members of the price panel of the War Price and Rationing Board will meet Tuesday evening to perfect plans for a "price clinic" tentatively planned to be held in Placerville on Wednesday, January 20th.

The meeting is intended to give merchants an opportunity for a discussion of OPA regulations with price specialists, one of the new being the Retailers Economy for Victory plan. This OPA regulation authorizes the curtailment or elimination of a number of shopping conveniences without lowering ceiling prices, and these so-called frills include non-essential deliveries, sales on approval, lay-aways and gift wrapping.

H. V. Jespersen, chairman of the price panel of the War Price and Rationing Board, explained that the "price clinic," which will precede the Retailers Economy for Victory session, will be divided into small discussion groups led by OPA specialists.

The OPA representatives and the subjects they will cover are: George Watson, Consumer Durable goods and services; Mark Grenadier, apparel, textiles and general merchandise; and Ed Combes, food and food products.

"This clinic is being arranged as a service to business men so they may clear up any questions they may have regarding OPA regulations," Jespersen said. "Complete understanding of price schedules will result in full compliance by merchants and from time to time OPA representatives will conduct these conferences for just that purpose."

This meeting is the second held by the price panel of the War Price and Rationing Board within the last few months.

## Many At Rites For Teacher

Miss Stella Litten Laid At Rest Thursday; Service By Rev. J. R. Rudkin

Six former pupils of Miss Stella Litten acted as pallbearers last Thursday afternoon at funeral services for the widely beloved former county school teacher, which were held at her late home in the Rescue district.

Earlier plans which had intended that the service be conducted by the Rev. Rex A. Barron were amended when the Rev. Barron was unable to be present and the Rev. J. R. Rudkin officiated under arrangements concluded with the assistance of the M. O. Keefe chapel.

Favorite hymns were sung by A. S. Fox and Max Bollman and interment was at the family plot on the Litten-MacDonald ranch.

A large number of friends of Miss Litten from all sections of the county were present to join in a last tribute of respect to her memory.

Miss Litten, 81 years of age, was a native of White Oak Flat, in the Rescue district, and had taught school for approximately thirty years. She is survived by her sister, Mrs. Julia MacDonald, of the immediate family.

## MOTHER, TWO SONS, HELD IN ALLEGED CHECK FRAUD

Mrs. Letty Seifert, 42, and her two sons, Leo, 16, and Lewis, 17, were held at the county jail over the weekend as officials pondered one of the most unusual check cases in recent history in the county.

Officials reported that the two boys had been employed by the Rev. J. W. Dunlop at ranch work and that when they had expressed dissatisfaction, they had been paid off with a check in the amount of \$6.50.

The check was subsequently presented at Murray's Service Station, Diamond Springs, but the amount of the check was said to have been raised from \$6.50 to \$60.50.

Officers said that some time after cashing the check, the service station operator became suspicious and, upon inquiring particularly of Mrs. Seifert and the boys, was told that the check had been raised.

The service station man was said to have recovered \$29.35 of the principal amount.

## Tin Salvage

General public co-operation in the tin salvage collection in the war program, which will take place on Thursday of this week, is solicited by Lloyd A. Raffetto, chairman of the committee in charge.

"This is the tin can collection which was the subject of a circular distributed several weeks ago," Mr. Raffetto said. "The circular explained what cans are wanted and how they should be prepared for the salvage collection."

"The committee wishes to emphasize that we can't accept tin cans that are not prepared in the proper manner. They wouldn't be acceptable in the salvage program and there is therefore no point in collecting them."

"If the people will put their properly prepared collection on the curb line Thursday, the committee will collect them during the day; and anyone whose tin cans have not been collected by four o'clock in the afternoon is asked to telephone 336 and report the oversight. We'll get the cans."

## SOROPTIMISTS START YEAR

Mrs. Lettie Longhurst President, Succeeding Mrs. Harold May

Officers of Placerville Soroptimist Club were installed for the ensuing term at a dinner meeting of the club Thursday evening at the Blue Bell Coffee shop.

The president for the new term is Mrs. Lettie Longhurst, who succeeds Mrs. Harold May, the latter concluding her year by presiding at the installation meeting.

An attendance of forty-one was recorded, several men guests accompanying the club members, and there were present in addition to Blanch Edgar, Clara Zimmerman and Edith Kelly, of the Sacramento Club, under whose auspices the local club was instituted four years ago.

Blanch Edgar was the installing officer and seated Mrs. Longhurst at president, Marion Atwood, vice-president; Mrs. Anne McMurray, secretary; Mrs. Lucille Wudell and Mrs. Marguerite R. Morgan, as directors.

The special entertainment program was arranged under the chairmanship of Mrs. Wudell and included two vocal offerings by Dr. Jean Babcock, two solos by Betty Beattie, accordion numbers by Ray Ewert, with accompaniment by Mrs. Ewert, and a vaudeville offering by Mr. and Mrs. Henry Piaggi.

Vernon E. Allen, president of the Placerville Lions, was a guest of the evening and reported briefly on some of the service work the club is attempting to do in the community.

A series of presentations marked the installation, expressing the feeling of mutual esteem and affection among the club members. One of these was the presentation of an orchid to the outgoing president by her elder daughter, Barbara.

## MISS MARGUERITE BUYS WEDS SOUTH DAKOTA NATIVE

Miss Marguerite Alice Buys, daughter of Mrs. Jessie Buys, of Diamond Springs, and Private First Class Delmer E. Furrer, of the Army of the United States, were married last Thursday evening in a quiet ceremony at the parsonage of the Federated Church.

The Rev. J. R. Rudkin officiated and witnesses to the ceremony were the mother of the bride and Ruth A. Johnson, of Diamond Springs.

Private First Class Furrer is a native of Osceola, South Dakota, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Furrer, of that place and prior to entering Army service was employed at Diamond Springs. Recently he has been assigned to duty in the Bay District.

Mrs. Furrer is an El Dorado County girl, graduate of the county high school and is employed as a copyist in the office of the county assessor.

Declaration of their intention to wed was filed January 7 with the county clerk by Thomas Lightfoot, 24, of the United States Army, stationed at Sacramento, and Elnora Carbine, 19, of Placerville.

## MASONIC LODGE SEATS HEADS

Meeting Follows Dinner Friday Evening; Schools Official Is New Master

Officers in El Dorado Lodge No. 26, F. & A. M., for the ensuing year were installed at a meeting of the lodge at the Masonic temple on Friday evening following a 6:30 o'clock dinner at which there were more than one hundred present.

The installation was conducted by Elsworth A. Willard, the new past master of the order, who was assisted by Past Master John P. Simpson as master of ceremonies. Supper was served by the members of St. Agnes Guild in the banquet room at the Masonic temple.

During the installation of officers there were vocal numbers by Mrs. Grace Steen and by A. S. Fox, and instrumental offerings by Mrs. Karl Fanning.

Mr. Willard was presented with a Past Master's ring on behalf of the lodge, the presentation being made with appropriate remarks by M. T. Kelly, himself a past master of the lodge.

The officers for the new year are as follows:

John H. Palmer, Worshipful Master; Bert E. Pierroz, senior warden; Horace G. Dunn, junior warden; Don Goodrich, treasurer; T. F. Lewis, secretary.

Harold W. Duden, chaplain; Elsworth A. Willard, marshal; Walter E. Dods, senior deacon; Francis L. Ward, junior deacon; Charles L. Patchen, senior steward; Hilmer H. Holbrook, junior steward; Louis A. Reeg, tyler, and A. S. Fox, organist.

## Gold Discovery Dance Jan. 23

95th Anniversary Fete Arranged By Committee Of Lotus, Coloma Citizens

The ninety-fifth anniversary of the discovery of gold at Coloma by James W. Marshall will be commemorated at a 49er costume dance.

A committee of residents of Coloma and Lotus is concluding arrangements for the affair, to be held at the Community Hall in Coloma, barely a stone's throw from the site of Sutter's Mill, where Marshall picked up the piece of gold.

Good music is promised for the occasion and the committee announces that service men in uniform will be admitted at half the regular admission charge.

Plans are being made to serve refreshments at the supper hour for those who may desire them.

## CHURCH OF OUR SAVIOUR PARISH DINNER ON WEDNESDAY EVENING

The annual parish dinner of the Church of Our Saviour will be held on Wednesday evening at 6 o'clock at the Guild Hall of the church. Plans are being made for a pot luck supper, the St. Agnes Guild supplying a main dish.

Archdeacon and Mrs. Rex A. Barron have signified their intention to be present to discuss with the parish members some of the problems of the new year in the church.

All members and friends of the parish are welcome to attend the meeting.

## Haldemann Daughter Dies After Birth

Denise, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Haldemann, of Yuba City, who was born on January 2, failed to survive and died soon after birth.

Mrs. Paul Taylor, Mrs. Haldemann's mother, spent last week with her daughter and reports that Mrs. Haldemann's condition is entirely satisfactory. Mrs. Haldemann is the former Mary Barkley, of Placerville.

## RAINFALL

July	0.00
August	0.00
September	0.01
October	0.57
November	9.95
December	5.93
Jan. 2	1.14
Total	16.60
The "normal" rainfall to Jan. 1 is 13.99 inches.	

## Your Federal Income Tax

WHAT IS INCOME TAX?

The federal income tax is, as the name implies a tax levied upon incomes, and it is payable in relation to the amount of income. Income, for Federal income tax purposes, means in general any compensation for one's services, whether the compensation be in money or in goods or other services; it includes also the net value received for the product of one's labor, as farm produce in the case of a farmer; income from investments; profit from business operations; and other gains from sales and exchanges of goods and property. Certain limited categories of income are, however, tax exempt, and to the extent of such exemption are excluded in computing the tax.

Because of exemptions from the tax given to persons having less than certain stated amounts of income, as well as because of various deductions and credits allowable, only a small proportion of the number of persons receiving income have until recently been subject to the tax. Thus, of the estimated 55 million persons in this country who received income in one form or another during the calendar year 1941, only some 26 million persons were required to file Federal income tax returns for that year, while of these same 26 million, more than 9 million were not taxable due to credits and deductions allowable.

As a result of the lowering of exemptions, many more persons are now subject to the Federal income tax than before, and for the calendar year 1942 it is estimated that more than 35 million persons will file Federal income tax returns. To the large number of persons now subject to the Federal income tax, who have never reported income before for Federal tax purposes, an understanding of the law and applicable regulations is of prime importance.

An income tax return is a declaration on the part of the taxpayer of his total taxable income for the year, together with the various deductions, exemptions, and credits to which he is entitled. It is in reliance upon voluntary disclosure, and the integrity of taxpayers generally, that the cost of administration of the income tax can be kept at a minimum. Though (Continued on Page Three)

## SEAL SALE IS NEAR CLOSE

"Reminders" Aid Check-Up; Association Meeting Is Scheduled January 27th

BY MILDRED M. BLAIR  
Publicity Chairman

The date of the annual meeting of the El Dorado County Tuberculosis Association has been set for Wednesday evening, January 27th, by Dr. A. A. McKinnon, president of the association.

Plans have not yet been completed, but all persons interested are very welcome to attend.

Last week a check-up was made on returns, and, according to Mrs. Swift Berry, Seal sale chairman, and Mrs. Percy McNie, secretary, the proceeds up to date exceed those of last year by \$235.15; this year \$1,292.25, and for a similar period last year it was \$1,057.10. The total includes returns from the packets sent by mail; extra Seals sold by individuals, and extra Seals on sale at Murray's and the Placerville News.

Reminder cards were sent to those still not accounted for, as now that the holiday rush is over and the forgotten Seals are brought to light, it is by no means too late to send in the money.

This remittance clears the files at an early date, and permits the giver the privilege of beginning the momentous year as a very essential volunteer "passing the ammunition" which enables us to continue the valuable project of early case-finding in our county.

The return readings of X-rays sent to Weimar in connection with the recent fluoroscopic clinic are daily awaited; the delay being accounted for by the great demand on Dr. Briner's time, and all X-rays must be read by tuberculosis specialists.

The fluoroscope equipment used here by Dr. Briner has served in ten counties since its presentation in July, 1941, to the California Tuberculosis Association by the 40 and 8, American Legion Society. Its first use was in Fresno County to examine selective service men; three cases of tuberculosis were discovered in the first 48 examined!

Since approximately 3000 packets of Christmas Seals were sent by mail in November, there are many still unaccounted for, and only through the sale of these Seals can such valuable work be continued in our county.

## DILLINGER OFFERS BILL TO ABOLISH SPONSORS OF CANDIDATES

Senator H. E. Dillinger has offered in the Legislature a measure to abolish the necessity of securing sponsors and of filing sponsors lists in support of candidacies for state county, municipal and district offices.

The theory behind this practice, written into the state code during the Young administration, Dillinger said, was that signatures of sponsors would encourage worthy candidates. In actual practice, he emphasized, such lists cause trouble, expense, and frequent embarrassment and accomplish no useful purpose.

## AUTO RUBBER APPROVALS

Rationing Board Resumes Meeting On Thursdays After Holiday Season

The tire rationing board of Rationing board No. 9 for El Dorado County, resumed its series of weekly meetings every Thursday last week. The regularity of the meetings had been interrupted during the holiday season.

Following are the automobile rubber approvals sanctioned by the committee for the period ending Thursday, January 7th:

New passenger tires and tubes: City of Placerville, three tires and Diamond Springs Lime Co., two tires;

Passenger Grade II Tires: Wm. H. Breedlove, one tire; Oscar W. Snider, two tires; Mrs. Julia Acuna, four tires and three tubes; Billie Jean Gray, one tire; George A. Gardner, one tire and one tube;

Passenger Recapping Service: Arthur E. Blair, one tire; Theodore W. Oviatt, one tire; H. M. Lumsden, three tires; Mrs. Nellie A. Wing, two tires; James A. Imes, three tires; Chet Brown, two tires; Maurice Wm. Losee, one tire; Paul Schwalbe, one tire; Vince Poncet. (Continued on Page Three)

## PLACERVILLE COUPLE RECENTLY WED IN RENO SERVICE

Following their marriage at Reno on Saturday, January 2, Leo Barrett has returned to his Navy duties and Mrs. Barrett has returned to Placerville to reside.

Mrs. Barrett is the former Asunda Castle, a sister of Mrs. Roger Douvres, of this city, and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. Calcura, of Martinez.

Her husband is a son of the Rev. and Mrs. John Barrett, formerly of Placerville, and prior to his enlistment in the Navy was identified with the retail gasoline and oil business in this community.

We join their other friends in every good wish.

## Charles Irish Article In National Contest

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. Rolon Irish will be interested to know that they have heard from their son, Charles, who is attending the University of Nevada, and who states that one of his student newspaper compositions has been selected for entry in a national contest sponsored by the American Newspaper Publishers' Association.

Charles wrote the article shortly before coming home for the holidays but did not learn that it had been selected as a contest entry until he returned to school after the New Year.

The entry is one of three in the national contest from the University of Nevada.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Jacques Mortin are the parents of a daughter, Charlene, born January 6th at the Sanatorium.

Mrs. Marie Bilodeau and Mrs. Asunda Barrett were Sunday visitors at Martinez.

## J. F. LUCAS IS SUMMONED

Native Of White Rock, Former Railroader, To Be Buried On Tuesday

Friends have learned that funeral services will be held Tuesday at Sacramento for Jesse F. Lucas, 89, a native of White Rock and for several years resident in Placerville.

Mr. Lucas passed away Sunday at his residence, 1827 F Street, in Sacramento, and the arrangements for the funeral services are in the care of the George Klumpp mortuary, of Sacramento.

The deceased was widely known in fraternal circles and was known to many El Dorado County residents as a result of his long service on the railroad train between Sacramento and Placerville.

For a period of several years he operated a cigar store in Placerville.

Mr. Lucas is survived by two daughters, May E. Lucas, a teacher in Sacramento schools, and Mrs. Ivy Cotter, in addition to four grandchildren.

He was a member in Sacramento to Lodge No. 40, F. & A. M., and of the Royal Arch Masons chapter and the Knight Templar Commandery in Placerville. He was a member of the Order of Eastern Star at Folsom and was a life member of Islam temple of the Shrine, at San Francisco.

He also was a member of Placerville Parlor No. 9, N. S. G. W.

## Installation On January 27th

Chamber Of Commerce Committee Arranging For Annual Meeting

The annual membership meeting of the Chamber of Commerce is tentatively scheduled to be held Wednesday, January 27th. It was announced Monday by L. W. Loomis, chairman of the directors' committee in charge.

The annual meeting will be the occasion for the installation of officers for the new year and for the receipt of reports on the work of the organization during the past year.

The new officers, elected last Thursday, are Edwin F. Smith, to succeed John A. Raffetto, Jr., as president; with C. W. Doe, vice-president and Mrs. Wallace M. Ripley, secretary-treasurer.

Mr. Loomis said that the committee contemplates an evening dinner meeting and that a more definite announcement of plans will be made upon the confirmation of preliminary arrangements.

## HARRY GAY STARTS 3 BOLO KNIVES ON WAY BACK TO PHILIPPINES

"Here John," said Harry Gay as he stepped into the office of J. A. Winkelman, horticultural commissioner, one day last week, "I brought these three bolo knives from the Philippines, and I want to send them back."

Winkelman took the knives and promised he will send them along to be used by American soldiers against the Japs and that they will get back to the Philippines.

"We're getting quite a response to our call for knives," Winkelman said. "Charles Wood gave me two, Jack Hall and Charles Ball gave me one each, Art Speegle gave me three and I've turned in four, myself."

Winkelman said that hunting knives are wanted and that there ought to be a number of them around El Dorado County.

"Any buck hunter ought to have a knife that he could contribute to this cause," Winkelman said. "He can leave it at Anderson's ready office or bring it in to me; any thing is okeh with me, just so long as we get the knives."

## Baby Clinic Jan. 21 At Camino Center

The Camino Health Center is making plans for the regular well baby clinic, to be held at the center on Thursday, January 21, under the supervision of Dr. Jean Babcock. The clinic will, as usual, be held during the forenoon, from nine o'clock until eleven o'clock.



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## Advertising Fakes

The police at Sacramento recently took into custody an advertising salesman who, they said, had swindled sixty-two Sacramentans out of a total of at least \$564 since last June.

Presumably it is the same old story of a stranger dropping in, making a good impression and walking out with the money. Many of those who paid for advertising apparently never bothered to see whether their advertisements were published, since only four of the sixty-two victims complained to the police.

The suspect represented himself to be soliciting advertisements in behalf of a fraternal publication.

Our readers, and particularly our business people, should remember that their hometown newspapers offer them the prospect of the greatest benefit from their advertising dollars. This is as true as it is true that the hometown merchant offers the public the greatest value and the best assurance of service for the money it spends in the purchase of merchandise.

The local newspapers are as well known to the merchants as the merchants are well known to the buying public and there should be, if there is not, between the public and the merchant and between the merchant and the local newspapers a feeling of trust and confidence in business integrity.

Our own advice to our local business people is that we can see little justification and slight prospect of a return on the investment for money spent in advertising other than in the particular local field.

An advertisement, printed upon a display card that is to be displayed in some auto court fifty miles away, may look pretty—but how much trade will it bring in comparison with the same amount of money spent on direct advertising to the local buyers in the local newspapers?

## Casualties on the Home Front

The natural guess of most persons not statistically minded probably would be that there are more people killed in the conflict than in traffic. But mothers, wives, sisters, sweethearts can all ease their minds if they have sons, husbands, brothers or fiancées in the armed services, for figures just compiled by the National Safety Council show that, up to November 15th, after almost a year of war, American casualties in battle, including the first five days of fighting in North Africa, were 6,054 killed, 4,485 wounded and 40,327 missing and prisoners of the enemy, while 89,000 in the United States met death by accident and 8,800,000 were injured in accidents. The casualties at home included the death of 44,500 working men and 3,800,000 who were injured.

The average parents probably will find it difficult to believe that when their 18 or 19-year-old son is inducted into the army he is in no more danger, if as much, as when he uses the family car to keep a date. These figures would indicate that our nation still has quite a distance to travel before we solve the problem of traffic hazards.

## Mars Expands Too

When we think of our national growth we usually consider the subject constructively. We get a picture of expanding frontiers, covered wagons, building railroads and the development of cities and of local industries.

The present war must be viewed as constructive in our development, too, although the immediate effect of war is destructive.

The growth of this destruction is something staggering. Our Revolutionary War cost us half a billion dollars and our Civil War twelve billion dollars.

A quarter century ago we fought the first World War and spent thirty-one billion dollars.

By the end of April 1942, we had all ready spent twenty-seven billion dollars in the present war and had voted to spend one hundred sixty billion dollars.

At the end of last April, we were spending \$92,000 a minute in the war program.

According to figures recently made public by the Office For Emergency Management, the present break-down on war expenditures shows that every \$100 buys:

- \$23 worth of airplanes;
- \$21 worth of tanks, guns and ammunition;
- \$12 worth of transport, equipment and miscellaneous supplies;
- \$10 worth of naval ships;
- \$9 in industrial facilities;
- \$8 worth of posts, depots and stations;
- \$5 in merchant ships;
- \$4 worth of stockpile and food exports;
- \$3 for pay, subsistence and travel for the armed forces;
- \$1 for housing and \$4 for miscellaneous other war expenditures.

If every individual pledged ten per cent of his income to purchase war bonds, the government would get eleven billion dollars a year—less than one-quarter of our war costs for the last calendar year.



## BEHIND THE SCENES IN AMERICAN BUSINESS

A NEW YEAR—Sometime in 1943 every person in America will feel the pinch of an ever-widening war as rationing becomes more widespread, higher taxes become effective, reaching 33,000,000 new taxpayers, and more controls are applied to home, business and industry to win the war. With greater sacrifices in store for this year, it will mean a new way of life for all of us.

Continuing the review of conditions in various industries, here is what others accomplished in 1942 and the outlook for 1943:

**FOOD**—According to Leon Henderson, Price Control Administrator, Americans in 1943 must be prepared for "more rations, more red tape and rationing." Virtually all canned, dried and frozen foods and vegetables will be rationed on a "point" system as war demands absorb about one-fourth of 1943 farm production. Major credit for accomplishing the biggest food job in history last year goes to the nation's 7,000,000 farm families, states John Hartford, A & P president. Viewing 1943's increased demands, Hartford declares that "above all else, the farmer must be given the tools with which to do the great job confronting him."

**METALS**—Production in 1942 of aluminum, copper, magnesium and zinc—all absorbed by the war program—hit new all-time levels and output will be increased this year. Gold mines were closed by the government to divert miners to strategic metals and part of the treasury's abundant silver holdings were loaned to industry to make up for shortages of copper. Production of aluminum, the "skin" and many of the "bones" of America's warplanes, exceeded that of Germany and her European satellites and was probably eight times that of Japan. In 1943, the United States is scheduled to produce 2,100,000,000 pounds of this wonder metal. According to Alcoa President Roy A. Hunt, expansion of fabricating facilities is keeping pace with demand. Alcoa's forging output is 25 times that of 1938; production of castings has multiplied 11 times; extruded shapes and tubings, nine times.

**LABOR**—The 1942 war production boom was accomplished by an unprecedented increase in employment. At the year-end, there were approximately 60,000,000 persons gainfully employed, a jump of 9,000,000 over the previous year, and the outlook for 1943, with 65,000,000 workers needed, is acute—so much so that a manpower administrator was appointed. His job this year will be to find 8,000,000 new workers since the armed forces will take about 5,000,000 able-bodied men. There's a strong possibility that workers will be drafted from civilian industries. It is hoped to get at least several million more "women" into war plants which already have 5,000,000 of the feminine contingent. Full employment of demobilized soldiers and war workers after the war is the aim of industry. Such an objective, says Herbert Bayard Swope, president of General Electric Co., "will depend, in large measure, on prompt and complete utilization of facilities as the result of good planning."

**SHIPBUILDING**—Along with planes, ships claimed top billing in the 1942 armament program and the 1943 goal has been doubled. The nation's shipyards produced 8,000,000 deadweight tons of shipping last year—a year notable for speed and unique construction methods and the fact that shipyards in the Great Lakes region had an active part in the two-ocean naval building program. It may seem a long way from building streamlined trains and freight cars to turning out submarine patrol vessels, but that is what one contractor, Pullman-Standard Car Manufacturing company, is doing in addition to other war work. Moreover, it is doing it by prefabrication methods that dispense with keel-laying. The keel is part of each of 14 factory-built sections that is transported by freight cars to ways four miles distant for final assembly.

**ELECTRONICS**—Heralded as "a secret weapon of the war," electronics—the new science of putting the electron to work—is being employed to guide battleships, direct gun fire, roll armor plate, and control hundreds of industrial processes with more speed, safety and accuracy than any device yet known. Developed for war, electronic controls will enable American industry to develop new world markets after the war.

**ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES**—Complete conversion of the beverage distilling industry was accomplished last year in order to meet the 1943 government quota of 240,000,000 gallons of war alcohol. This was speeded by the "packed column"—a cylindrical shell filled with brick-tile rings, which can be built with non-criti-

## THE Book Mark

BY JANE VOILES

Louis Bromfield is one of our professional novelists who can turn out an excellent novel one year and follow it up with a pot-boilery one the next. His new novel, "Mrs. Parkington," out this month goes into the excellent class. Mrs. Parkington is 84, small, straight-figured with no lessening of her femininity and charm. Women like her are familiar to most of us, they flourished in California, products of the gilded age, but at the same time, they were women possessed of a courage and a wisdom that left its mark on their period. We meet Mrs. Parkington on Christmas eve in her New York home prepared to receive her family for dinner.

With the exception of Janie, the great granddaughter, it is a family devoid of mirth and pleasantness and Mrs. Parkington knows it. Alice, her daughter, still called the Duchess, although two husbands succeeded the Duke is a dreary woman who drinks secretly from the Listerine bottle. One granddaughter, Madeline, is coarse and bumptious. She brings her new husband, a Nevada cowboy to dinner. The other granddaughter, Helen, is a whining woman with a sagging mouth. Her husband, Amory Stillham, is smug and vulgar in spite of his correct Harvard background. Their daughter, Janie, a poor little rich girl has a brightness and a feeling for life that gives hope to her grandmother.

After placing Mrs. Parkington in a setting of warmth, taste and dignity and assembling her family for the reader's inspection, Mr. Bromfield goes back to the past and steps easily again to the present as the occasion demands in telling the story of Susie Parkington. She learned about people in the kitchen of a Nevada mining camp hotel where she helped her mother. A frequent guest at the hotel was Major Augustus Parkington, a man of immense vitality and enthusiasm, already a millionaire at 33. Mr. Bromfield's Major is a type, to be sure, the type that can be scoundrel and at the same time be overwhelmingly generous; the type who never forgets a friend or an enemy. You have met him frequently in novels and movies but Mr. Bromfield keeps him from going stale by freshening him with his own vigorous sense of character delineation.

After Susie's parents are killed in an accident at the mine, the Major marries her and brings her to New York. At 17 the little Nevada sparrow enters the Breevort Hotel to the music of Offenbach and knows happiness beyond any she had dreamed of. Her acceptance into the Major's gilded world and what she makes of herself is done in the best Bromfield vein. At the outset it is plain that the Major will not fit into any tame, domestic scheme but there is for Susie a magnificence in all that he does; it is as though his qualities of extravagance and splendor almost, if not quite covered his shortcomings. But obviously happiness is not to be bought. There comes the terrible summer in Susie's life beginning with the ugly business of Norah Ebbsworth. And from that time on Susie Parkington knows the extremes of suffering and happiness, in fact, the scale balances almost too completely.

When the gilded world shatters Susie manages to salvage for herself a sense of peace and security and to adapt itself to the present. These qualities add a supreme flavor to existence even at the age of 84. As a book, "Mrs. Parkington," has the valid charm of entertainment as well as Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer assets but there is a plus value too, the pervasive sense of life in brimmed full bowls that Mr. Bromfield knows always how to convey when he is at his best. You will like meeting Mrs. Parkington, there's a gracious harmony about her that is very winning, what Edith Wharton used to call "the old douceur de vivre."

## MR. AND MRS. CHAS. YOUNG AT PALM SPRINGS ON WEDDING TRIP

Following their marriage Tuesday of last week at Reno, Mr. and Mrs. Charles R. Young are reported to be at Palm Springs on a wedding trip and expect to return to Bijou, Lake Tahoe, the latter part of the month.

Mrs. Young is the former Glorienne Dunlap daughter of a well-known dairy and stockraising family of the county.

Mr. Young is associated with his brother, Wilton Young, in the management of their Bijou resort and other Lake Tahoe properties and we understand the couple will make their home at Bijou.

## THE SPHERE OF SERVICE

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graduation in the Officer Candidate School at Ft. Belvoir which, despite what you may recently have read, shows on the map as being in the state of Virginia.

Primo Facchini, of Diamond Springs, who is stationed at the Hobbs Army Air Field at Hobbs, New Mexico, has recently been promoted to be corporal.

Word comes from Fort Knox, Kentucky, that one of the new second lieutenants in the Army Armored Forces is Leslie Clementsen, son of J. T. Clementsen, of Garden Valley.

Among the Mather Fielders whom we saw at home during the weekend were Earl Nunlay, Wallace M. Ripley and Corporal E. D. Moyers. "Babs" was taking a vacation from taking care of airplanes and was taking care of the family car.

## LAKE TAHOE PIONEER IS HONORED SUNDAY AT OPEN HOUSE

At open house was held Sunday at Sacramento at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Harry J. Lawson, Sr. in celebration of the eighty-fifth birthday anniversary of James A. Murphy, a native of Weber Creek, this county, and a pioneer in development at Lake Tahoe.

Murphy went into the cattle business at the age of 14 with his brother, George, now a resident of Oakland. They ran their cattle on the Summer range at Meeks Bay, Lake Tahoe. Murphy also conducted a dairy business until 1892 when he and his brother formed a partnership with Luke P. Morgan, his brother in law. The three operated the Lake Tahoe resort now known as Chambers Lodge. Murphy retired from the hotel business in 1917, but continued to raise cattle until 1927.

He has spent all his Summers at Lake Tahoe since 1873. He made his Winter home in Auburn, from 1908 to 1919, when he moved to Sacramento.

Mrs. Murphy, the former Sarah A. Morgan, died in 1933. One of Murphy's brothers, the late Richard Murphy, was business superintendent of the Sacramento County Hospital prior to his death 12 years ago. He had served as captain of the guards at Folsom Prison 25 years before moving to Sacramento.

Murphy has three grandchildren, Mary Anne, Sally and Harry J. Lawson, Jr.

Napa County growers managed to save about 90 per cent of their prune crop.

## Public Notice

**NOTICE OF ELECTION**  
In accordance with the provisions of the California Irrigation District Act, notice is hereby given that a General Election has been ordered and is to be held in the El Dorado Irrigation District, State of California, on Wednesday the 3rd day of February, 1943, at which the following officers are to be elected, to-wit:

Director 1st Division; Director 5th Division.  
One election precinct has been established in the First Division and one in the Fifth Division. All of the precincts in each of said divisions having been consolidated into one precinct.

Notice is also hereby given that at said election the polls will be open from the hour of 9:00 o'clock A. M. to the hour of 5:00 o'clock P. M. on the day thereof, and that during said hours said election will be held in that precinct in said district, and at the legally designated polling places therein, hereinafter set forth:

Precinct No. 1 (First division)  
Polling place: Camino church, Camino, Calif.

Precinct No. 5 (Fifth division)  
Polling place: Community Hall, Missouri Flat, Cal.

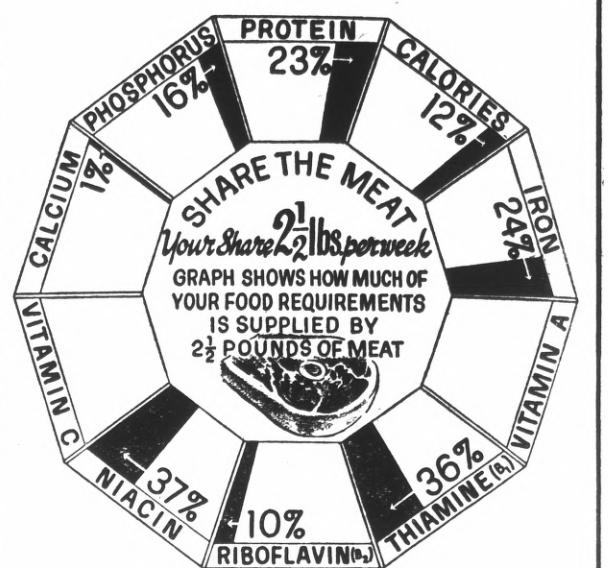
Dated this 4th day of January, 1943.

W. E. JENKINSON,  
Secretary of the Board of Directors of El Dorado Irrigation District.  
Pville Republican.—Jan-5-2t.

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Statistics from Nat'l Live Stock & Meat Board

## PLACERVILLE FARM LOAN ASSOCIATION TO MEET ON WEDNESDAY

The annual meeting of the Placerville National Farm Loan Association will be held in J. A. Winkelman's office in the Court House at 10 a. m., January 13, Wednesday.

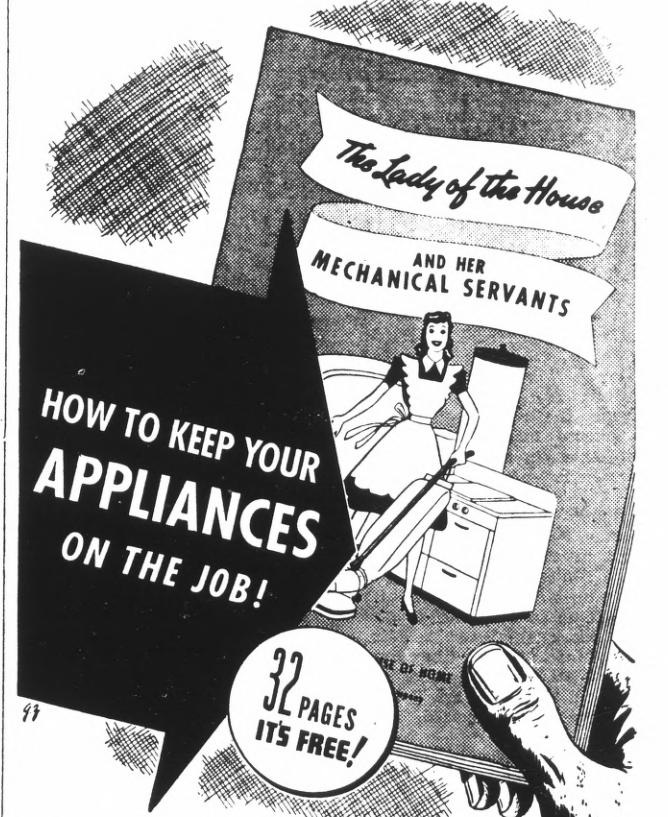
Directors of the board of the Placerville National Farm Loan Association are J. A. Winkelman, President, John A. Larsen, Vice-President, Severin Walker, Director, Dan Bassi, Director, Fred Wessels, Director.

Members of this cooperative farm credit association have a timely program lined up. Among the features taken up will be a discussion on meeting the new 194 farm production goals, problems arising from labor and machinery shortages, a review of the organization's activities with plans for the future, and the election of officers and directors.

## Beware Coughs That Hang On

Creomulsion relieves promptly because it goes right to the seat of the trouble to help loosen and expel germ laden phlegm, and aid nature to soothe and heal raw, tender, inflamed bronchial mucous membranes. Tell your druggist to sell you a bottle of Creomulsion with the understanding you must like the way it quickly allays the cough or you are to have your money back.

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## WINTER PEAR CAMPAIGN IS LAUNCHED IN NEW ENGLAND

A program of educational advertising on winter pears was recently released in the New England area by the Oregon-Washington-California Pear Bureau. According to J. M. Early, educational director of the Pear Bureau, the advertising campaign is designed to stimulate and sustain an already brisk demand for pears in New England.

The program covers phases of consumer information that deal with the versatility and nutritive values of winter pears in the cold-weather diet. Particular stress is being laid upon the desirability of eating winter pears at their prime stage of maturity in order to enjoy finest flavor and maximum nutritive values. In this connection, the "conditioned" pears being offered by many New England retailers cooperating with carlot receiving factors are being directed especially to the attention of the consumer public. "Conditioning" is characterized as an important war-time food service. It saves the time of busy homemakers and stops the waste which often results from slow selling of hard, inedible fruit.

The Yankee Network is carrying the story of winter pears to the radio public through the broadcasts of Ken and Carolyn, Yankee kitchen food experts on the air daily from 2:15 to 2:45 p.m., Eastern Standard Time. The Yankee Network embraces 11 radio stations, blanketing the New England market — including Massachusetts, New Hampshire, Maine, Rhode Island, and Connecticut. The opening day of the Pear Bureau's participation, Mrs. J. M. Early, educational director, appeared as guest speaker with Ken and Carolyn.

Press coverage in Boston and adjacent markets is being obtained through the Boston Herald-Traveler. Lee Veerkamp, pear grower from Placerville, Calif., and member of the Pear Bureau, has been located in Boston as field representative since the new pear season began in September. Through his efforts, wholesale and retail tradesmen are being assisted in the handling and merchandising of "Red-Ripe" winter pears that are followed scientifically from car through retail store to insure top eating quality.

## G. I. Akin Is Patient At Sanatorium

G. I. Akin, of Union District, was removed from his home to Placerville Sanatorium on Monday. Mr. Akin has been under treatment for a heart condition for some time past and it is believed that rest and quiet may prove beneficial in the present instance.

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THE JEEP'S FIRST COUSIN, THE FLYING JEEP IS THE ARMY'S NEW LIAISON PLANE FOR GROUND FORCES. SMALL AND RUGGED, IT IS THE EYES UPSTAIRS OF THE ARTILLERY, CAVALRY, AND INFANTRY, DIRECTING THEIR OPERATIONS FROM ABOVE.

The soldiers' beloved jeep, able to do anything, anywhere, any time (except, perhaps, KP), has now been adapted for the air. Thus industry has come forth with the flying jeep, a new liaison plane for Army ground forces.

The flying jeep is a small, rugged, highly maneuverable plane designed to be the "eyes upstairs" of the artillery, tank corps, cavalry, and infantry. It weighs only 2,100 pounds, is 24 feet long, has a 34 foot wing span, and is powered by a 190-horsepower engine.

Like its first cousin jeep on the

ground, the flying jeep goes wherever the ground troops go—operating from cow pastures, highways, or other improvised landing fields. It can land or take off after an unusually short run and can climb at a sharp angle to clear trees or other obstructions.

Manned by a pilot and observer, with radio equipment for ground and other plane communications, the sky jeep can maintain the exceptionally low speed of less than 45 m.p.h. while directing artillery fire or movement of tanks or troops. Relatively little gasoline

and service work are needed for the flying jeep—a boon on battlefronts where supplies are a serious problem.

Fuselage of the flying jeep is made of welded steel tubing, but wings and tail surfaces are of wood, according to a revision of original plans which saves 20 per cent of the steel and 70 per cent of the aluminum originally called for.

To absorb landing shocks on rough terrain, the stroke of the spring-and-oil shock absorbers has been lengthened to approximately double that of conventional types.

## YOUR FEDERAL INCOME TAX

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The return is a voluntary statement, any person who willfully makes a return which he does not believe to be true and correct in every material matter is subject to the penalties provided by law.

The first requirement of the law is the filing of an appropriate return. For individuals generally, this must be done by March 15 following the end of the calendar year. The return must be filed with the appropriate Collector of Internal Revenue for the district in which is located the legal residence or principal place of business of the person making the return.

Under the present law every single person, and every married person not living with husband or wife, having a total income (earnings, together with other income) of \$500 or more, and married persons living with husband or wife throughout the taxable year, who have an aggregate income (total earnings of both husband and wife, together with other income) of \$1200 or more, regardless of the amount of net income, must file a return.

## ARMY LIBRARY SERVICE HAS OPENING FOR WOMEN APPLICANTS

A dozen new openings in the Army Library Service, available to qualified women applicants from Pacific Coast states, were announced today at the headquarters of Major General Kenyon A. Joyce, Commanding General of the Ninth Service Command at Fort Douglas, Utah.

Recent Army Regulations provide for the new positions in general hospitals, and posts, camps, and stations where library facilities are neither available nor sufficient at the present time to care for the demand.

Base salary for the new positions is \$2,000 yearly and under recently enacted legislation most librarians in the Service earn up to \$2,400 through reimbursement for overtime.

Minimum qualifications for Army librarians require that successful applicants be United States citizens, graduates of a college or university of recognized scholastic standing, and from an accredited library school, have at least one year of experience other than clerical in library work, and have passed their twenty-fifth but not their fortieth birthday.

Selections and appointments of librarians for the eight western states comprising the Ninth Service Command are made through the headquarters at Fort Douglas, where application blanks and detailed information concerning the openings may be obtained upon written request to the Special Service Officer.

Albert Georgi was doing business in the county seat Friday, from Diamond Springs.

Mrs. Alida Avansino was a caller from Pleasant Valley on Saturday.

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## AUTO RUBBER APPROVALS

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to, four tires; Charles F. McCracken, one tire; P. J. Vennetiz, two tires; Roy Applegate, three tires; B. H. Blake, M. D., two tires; C. Young, one tire; Howard L. Lewis, two tires; D. C. Gardner, two tires;

Passenger Grade III Tires: D. C. Gardner, two tires and one tube; Charles F. McCracken, one tire; Paul Schwalbe, one tire and one tube; Maurice Wm. Losee, two tires; James A. Imes, one tire; Theodore W. Oviatt, one tire; Max C. Bollman, two tires and one tube; Howard K. Means, two tires; Earl Flynn, three tires and two tubes; Mrs. Frank Oulicky, one tire; Donald D. Bronson, two tires and two tubes; A. F. Goss, three tires; Owen Chapman, two tires; Blair R. French, one tire; C. H. Ryan, two tires; Timothy R. Stedd, three tires and three tubes; Robert W. Williams, one tire; Frank Estey, one tire;

New Truck Tires: James B. Gillett, two tires; James Mendenhall, one tire; John A. Dunlap, one tire; Mrs. W. S. Pitner, one tire and one tube; I. M. Johnson, two tires and two tubes; Emma C. Harrington, four tires; George Yaeger, two tires and two tubes; John W. King, six tubes; C. A. Jones, two tires and two tubes; Joy C. Bruce, two tires; George G. Cole, two tires; Archibald Stafford, two tires and two tubes; Roy Kuykendall, two tires; Carlo Pisan, one tire;

Truck Recapping Service: Fannie M. Keller, five tires; H. B. Tatum, two tires; Ivan W. Anderson, three tires; Placerville Coca-Cola Bottling Works, three tires; Placerville Coca-Cola Bottling Works, two tires; R. H. Fisher, two tires; W. F. Pomeroy, three tires; John A. Dunlap, two tires; Mrs. W. S. Pitner, two tires; C. A. Jones, one tire; Joy C. Bruce, three tires; George C. Cole, two tires.

## YOUTHFUL SUSPECT IN TRUCK THEFT TO BE CITED AS JUVENILE

Arthur A. Harris, accused of stealing a truck from the Pino Vista Dairy, is to be cited as a juvenile delinquent following a hearing held last week before Justice of the Peace T. F. Lewis.

Harris, said previously to have been a state hospital inmate, was arrested by Officer Charles Flick, of the highway patrol, after he had, allegedly, stolen a pick-up truck from the yard of the dairy plant, and abandoned it in the vicinity of Fred's Place.

Officials indicated they would seek to have him returned to Alameda County.

City Clerk Harold Duden and Russell Anderson, works superintendent, were at Sacramento Monday on business.

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## FEDERAL CIVIL SERVICE SALARIES BROUGHT MORE NEARLY IN LINE WITH WAGES IN PRIVATE INDUSTRY

In a statement to the press today, Harry T. Kranz, Twelfth Regional Director for the U. S. Civil Service Commission, says:

"Agencies of the Federal Government have for a long time been at a serious disadvantage in recruiting civilian employees because these agencies have been unable to match the wage rates paid by private employers. The disparity between Federal salaries and those paid by private employers for the same types of work has been especially pronounced since America's entry into war. This situation has now been largely corrected by legislation which was recently passed by Congress and signed by the President. Federal pay scales are now more closely in agreement with those maintained by private employers, and persons interested in accepting Government employment find such employment much more attractive than heretofore.

The new legislation establishes a standard 40-hour week, all hours in excess of 40 being paid at the rate of time-and-a-half. A great many agencies have administratively established 48-hour week, which means that employees of these agencies will each week work eight hours for which they will receive pay at the time-and-a-half rate.

The new legislation adds approximately 21 per cent to the base pay which Federal employees have heretofore received. Examples of the effect these new wage provisions have had upon the pay of Federal positions are as follows:

Under Clerks, Junior Typists, and comparable positions, which have in the past carried a salary of \$1260 per annum, now carry the salary of \$1535 per annum, on a 48-hour-week basis.

Similarly, Senior Typists, Junior Clerks and Junior Stenographers, formerly paid \$1440 per annum, now receive \$1752 per annum.

Those employees who in the past received \$1620 per annum now receive in the same positions \$1970 per annum.

An \$1800 position now pays approximately \$2200 per annum, for 48 hours' work per week.

Other positions of higher grade are correspondingly affected but employees receiving salaries of \$5000 per annum or more receive no benefit from this legislation.

## PEACE OFFICERS ELIGIBLE FOR DUTY WITH SHORE PATROL

Northern California, Nevada, Utah and Colorado peace officers are eligible for appointment to the new Train Detail of the Twelfth Naval District Shore Patrol. They will receive ratings from third class petty officers up to chief petty officers, depending upon their experience.

Enlistments may be made through the nearest U. S. Navy Recruiting station. To enlist an officer must be between 38 and 50 years of age and have had at least two years bonafide peace officer experience. He must be married or have at least one bonafide dependent. The Navy will pay from \$178.50 to \$208.50 per month for men in this work, plus actual expenses while traveling.

Officers so assigned will serve on passenger trains between San Francisco and Portland, Los Angeles, Denver and Cheyenne in cooperation with the military police of the army. Their duties will be confined to the security patrol of armed force personnel and the protection of railroad property against damage from armed force personnel.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Tidd were in town from the Springvale section on Monday.

## RODENT REPELLENT PAINT AVAILABLE FROM U. S. SOURCES

John A. Winkelman, horticultural commissioner, reports that he has recently received word that a particularly promising paint has been developed by the Fish and Wildlife Division of the Department of Interior, and is available for use as a rodent repellent.

The paint is available through Federal sources and those who are interested in the matter may file their orders through Mr. Winkelman's office.

The cost of the paint, F. O. B. Pocatello, Idaho, is \$1.75 per gallon although the announced price is subject to change without notice under war conditions.

Mr. Winkelman reports that he is advised one gallon of the paint will cover about 675 one-year old trees, or about 400 trees two to three years old, or about 150 trees five to eight years old, depending to some extent on the height to which one wishes to cover the bark.

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Your cooperation enabled us to take care of those who had to travel—the men of our armed forces. We are sure that the thousands of service men who were able to get well-earned holiday leaves and furloughs also appreciated your cooperation in making more room for them on the buses.

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### DEPUTY COLLECTOR WILL BE IN OFFICE MONDAY, TUESDAY MORNINGS

W. D. Malloy, deputy collector of internal revenue for this district, announced Monday that during the balance of this month he will be in his office in the basement of the post office on Monday and Tuesday mornings.

Starting February 1, Mr. Malloy will be in attendance at a special school of instruction at San Francisco and upon his return from that school he will announce a new schedule of his visits throughout his district during the few weeks prior to March 15, the delinquency date for filing income tax returns.

Mr. Malloy said that he will be interested to hear immediately of any special problems confronting taxpayers, so that he may have the opportunity to obtain answers to the questions at the school of instruction.

Questions should be submitted in writing, he said.

### Pleasant Valley Man Suffers Stroke

Joseph Mendonca, of Pleasant Valley, was removed to the Sanatorium Saturday evening following an apparent stroke. Mr. Mendonca is eighty years of age. His condition on Monday was understood to show but little improvement.

### CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING

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D10-tfc

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garage. Phone 130, Mrs. Philip  
Frost, 69 Sacramento St. D10-tfc

6-ROOM house on Acacia Way,  
near High School. Vacant the  
last of December. Call 377R.  
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**2—**You do not have to join a union to work at Wards.

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**4—**The President of the United States has commanded Wards to accept for its Chicago plant a form of closed shop called "maintenance of membership". Under this form of closed shop, employees are not free to resign from the union without losing their jobs. Wards is compelled to discharge every union member who fails to maintain his union membership in good standing (non-payment of dues, etc.). This making of membership in a union a condition of holding a job is the closed shop.

**5—**Wards did not voluntarily agree to this requirement. Wards believes it to be illegal and un-economic. Wards has accepted it under duress and only because the President of the United States expressly so ordered.

**6—**Wards is the only retailer in the United States upon whom the President has imposed any form of the closed shop. It is unfair to impose burdens upon Wards and not upon those with whom it is in competition. If the retail industry is to be subjected to the closed shop requirement, it should be legislated by Congress and applied uniformly against all retail establishments.

**7—**The National War Labor Board has now called a hearing to determine whether the employees at Wards' six large stores in Denver, Detroit and New York City must belong to the union in order to hold their jobs. Wards will continue to oppose this illegal and uneconomic requirement. Wards will reject any demand of the Board that employees be discharged because they fail to maintain their union membership.

**8—**The President of the United States has no authority to order Wards employees to remain union members in order to hold their jobs. Congress is the only law-making authority. Congress has passed no law requiring the closed shop.

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